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Via Certified Mail Return Receipt

Freedom of Information Officer U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Region 2 290 Broadway, New York, N.Y. 10007-1866

Re: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear FOIA Officer:

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, and 40 C.F.R., Part 2, I hereby request on behalf of the Government of the U.S. Virgin Islands, the following documents pertaining to the following:

All documents pertaining or relating in any way to the financial condition of Virgin Islands Alumina Company (VIALCO) between May 1989 and the present. These documents should include but are not limited to pending or current insolvency of VIALCO as it relates to the Administrative Order On Consent Docket No. RCRA-02-2001-7301.

I agree to the payment of all charges incurred as a result of this request up to a maximum of \$1,000.00. If you expect fees to exceed this amount, or you need further explanation of the nature or scope of this request, please contact me at 340-773-6142.

In the event that some of the documents that I have requested are not disclosable in their entirety, I request that you release all segregable nonexempt portions of the documents and all parts of the documents that can be rendered disclosable by redaction. As to any documents or portions of documents that are exempt from disclosure, please identify each document or portion thereof that is being withheld and state with specificity the legal and factual basis for each withholding.

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